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For Your Input

SHOULD THERE BE AN E-MAIL NETWORK FOR ACQUISITIONS LIBRARIANS?

This is a question which I have been asked recently, and I agreed to solicit opinions about it. If you have an opinion, or even if you don't, please fill out the little questionnaire below and return it to me, or call me if you prefer. Christian M. Boissonnas, Acquisitions Librarian, Cornell University Library, Acquisitions Department, 110 Olin Library, Ithaca NY 14853-5301, (607) 255-4960, BITNET: CBY@CORNELLC

1. Would you like to see an organized E-mail network of acquisitions librarians? Yes No Why?

The following questions assume a "yes" response to the above. If you responded no, feel free to comment on the questions anyway. Your input will be helpful.

2. Would it make *Against the Grain* redundant? Change its scope?

3. Should it be a refereed network (one in which contributions are sent to an editor who organizes, edits, and sends it to the members) or one in which everybody gets everything from everybody?

4. Should membership be open or restricted? If restricted, to whom?

5. What about the people who don't have E-mail capabilities? How do they stay plugged in?

6. Any other comments?

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